



**KING GEORGE COMMUNITY
ASSOCIATION CORP.
COMMUNITY NEWS
*WINTER, 2013***

HO! HO! HO!

It's difficult to write this message before Christmas knowing that it won't be delivered until the new-year. Christmas is such a special season, even to those who are not Christians. Too bad the empathy, caring and selflessness does not continue throughout the year. What a different place our world could be!

2012 has been a special year for King George Community School and for the Community, as we together celebrated a century of history. The large turnout and numerous stories and reminiscences were indicative of the love and high regard many alumna have for this neighbourhood and for the time they spent here. I know the feeling; I hope that you do too.

This coming year we have an opportunity to celebrate our community by way of a mural project or some other form of public art. We hope for your involvement in planning and completing this effort. Some funding is in place and we hope to secure more. What makes King George special and how can we portray it? What will this art look like? Where will it go? You can help us answer these questions by sharing your vision.

I wish you a joyful new year!

John Dubets, President



Danielle Chartier
Your NDP MLA in Saskatoon Riversdale
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**Please contact my office if you
have any questions with the following:**

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King George Community Indoor Programs

Adult

Yoga

14 yrs. & over



Tuesday
7 - 8 p.m.
Jan 15 - Mar 26th

King George School
Gym
\$15

Zumba

14 yrs. & over



Monday
6 - 7 p.m.
Jan 14 - Mar 25th

King George School
Gym
\$15

All Ages

Art Class

All Ages



Wednesday
7 - 8 p.m.
Jan 16 - Mar 27th

King George School
Gym
\$15/Family

Children/Youth

King George Kid's Time

3 - 8 yrs.



Wednesday
6 - 6:45 p.m.
Jan 16 - Mar 27th

King George School
Gym
\$15/Family

Hip Hop

12 - 18 yrs.



Monday
7 - 8 p.m.
Jan 14 - Mar 25

King George School
Gym
\$10

Registration is Wednesday, Jan. 9th, 2013, 6 - 8 p.m. at King George Community School Gym, 721 Ave K South. Membership is not required to participate. King George Community Association (KGCA) will honor other community association memberships. Please note that program cancellations or changes may occur. Cost as a barrier funding is available. Check our Facebook page for updates or contact us at kgcacontact@yahoo.ca.

King George Rink

Everyone Welcome



Under the lights: 5:30 pm to 10:30 pm

Supervised Skating: Monday and Thursday 7 pm to 9 pm

Tuesday Evenings: Ranch Ehrlo programing (see their ad in this issue)

Program provided by King George Community Association
and City of Saskatoon

Thanks to rink supervisor Rod Wright for all his dedicated efforts to deal with all the snow. Thanks to Rodney Machiskin for his assistance.



John Dubets (President) and Pat Dubets, (Secretary) of our King George Community Association and long-time residents of the King George Community received the Queen Elizabeth Diamond Jubilee Medal Recognition for Community Service. **Congratulations to both of you and for all your hard work.**



Our Halloween Movie Night in October was a big success. A huge Thank You to Anita, Jean Marie and Caitlan for organizing the event including; decorating, making popcorn, supplying all the treats at the concession and even dressing up. It was so much fun.

NEWS FROM YOUR KING GEORGE COMMUNITY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL



I would like to take the time to formally introduce myself to the King George community. My name is David Crowell, and I have the rare opportunity of being the first principal of the second century of school operations here at King George Community School.

King George Community School is my fifth school, my third in Saskatoon Public School Division, and it is the fourth school I will work in as a school administrator. I have been a long-time resident of Saskatoon and my extended family has roots in the Riversdale and Westmount communities.

At this time I would like to add that we currently have space in our afternoon **Pre-Kindergarten Room**. Those children who are 3 and 4 years of age and have to be toilet trained may apply to attend this program. We are also pleased to offer **free before and after school programming for Kindergarten to Grade 8 age students**. This program is run by the YMCA and is available for all days where students attend our school. **For information on this program, or any of our other activities, please contact the school at 683-7310.**

I look forward to continuing the great literacy work being done with the students of King George over the next few years.

David Crowell



MEET YOUR COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE

President: John Dubets

Vice-President: Rodney Machiskinic

Outdoor Coordinator: Scott Broad

Indoor Coordinator: Caitlan Stickney

Members at Large: Elrose Machiskinic

Jean Marie Michaud

Glenn Dougan

Secretary: Pat Dubets

Community Safety: Anita Kinzel

Communications: Debbie Angell

Treasurer: Scott Broad

Civics Coordinator: John Dubets

Social Coordinator: Audrey Ben

Community Development: Henry Dutka

Community Coordinator: Lori Pulai

School Community Rep. (appointed): Rod Wright

Box 28103, Saskatoon, SK S7M 5V8 Contact: 244-5340



Welcome!

Welcome to Our New Executive Members

Rodney and Elrose Machiskinic, Jean Marie Michaud,

Glenn Dougan and Audrey Ben

ATTEND A COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION MEETING!

**Come share your ideas and concerns
about matters affecting all of us
in our community**



**Wednesdays, Jan. 9th, Feb. 13th, Mar. 13th and Apr. 10th, 2013
at 7 p.m. in the Community Room at
Danielle Chartier's Office**

Ranch Ehrlo Society

Is pleased to bring the **OUTDOOR HOCKEY LEAGUE**
to the **King George Community Rink**

Jan. 15th – March, 2013

Tuesday nights, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! – Referees and coaches,
or just come to help tie skates!!!!

The O.H.L. is FUN, FREE and OPEN to all skill levels!!!!



Please contact Cam Banning @ 306-653-3123 or
Cameron.Banning@Ranchehrlo.ca
for more information.



The King George Neighborhood is a diverse
multicultural community. The King George Community
Association is a volunteer organization. Its' purpose is to represent
the people of this community by taking action to enhance the quality
of life for *everyone* in the neighborhood.



Community Mural Project

We are excited to announce we are planning on creating a Mural
for our community. We are having a Community Mural Meeting to
do some visioning on Tuesday, Jan. 15th, 7 - 9 p.m. at the King
George Community School. We want to include the artist in you
to come and share your ideas.




FUN, FRIENDSHIP AND ADVENTURE

There are girls in this community who would like to be Girl Guides.
Women are needed who are interested in being trained
as a volunteer Girl Guide Leader.

If you are interested or would like to know more,
call Lavonne, Aboriginal/Outreach Coordinator, at 361-5921.

**Merry Christmas
King George**

Wishing you and your family peace,
health and joy this holiday season.



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INUKSHUK

The Inukshuk is a beautiful balanced stone sculpture traditionally built by the Inuit. It is a directional marker symbolizing strength, balance, trust and communication of the human spirit. Each stone is a separate entity. Each supports and is supported by the one above and the one below it. What is true about the Inukshuk is true about people. Each individual entity alone has significance. As a part of a team each of us supports and is supported by another. We are united by our common goals, and together we are part of a greater whole. The difference we make today, counts in all our tomorrows.

CLARENCE DOWNEY SPEED SKATING OVAL OPENS FOR THE SEASON ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2012 at 2 p.m.



Open Hours Are:

Monday to Thursday 2:00 p.m. to 8 p.m., and
Saturday and Sunday 10:15 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The Clarence Downey Speed Skating Oval will be closed on Fridays and on Christmas Day. It will also be closed for Provincial Championships from Jan. 11 to 13, 2013.

All skating skill levels are welcome to the 400-metre oval, speed skates are not necessary. A modern warm-up building provides change rooms, public washrooms, and an area to lace-up skates in comfort. The Oval is located at Dudley St. and Ave. R in the Gordon Howe Complex.



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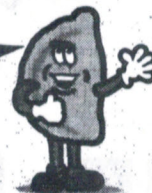
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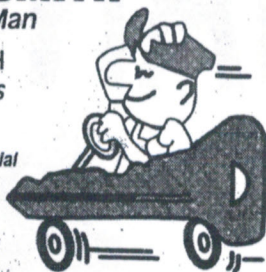
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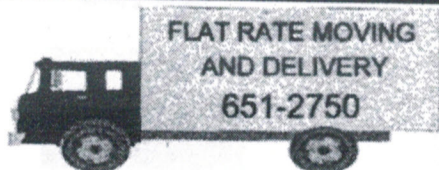
Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 5:30pm-9:00pm,

Saturday 1:00pm-6:00pm

For more information contact SCYAP: Ph: 306.652.7760

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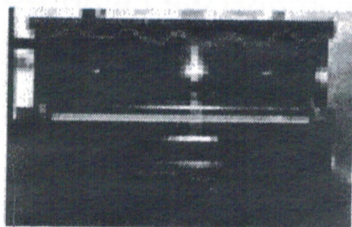
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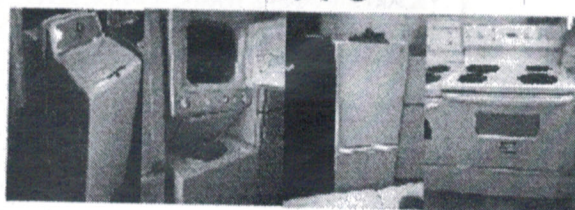
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Meeting Room

Thursdays

Dec. 6 – Feb. 28, 10:30-11:15 am

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Meeting Room

Adults and Young Adults
Some Thursdays

Jan. 10 – Mar. 7, 4–5:30 pm

All materials are provided.

Aged 14 and up

Macramé Scarves, Jan. 10

This is a drop-in program

Duct Tape Wallets, Feb. 21

Beading, Jan. 24

Freestyle Scrapbooking, Feb. 7

Freestyle Jewelry, Mar. 7

For all ages

Fridays

Jan. 4 – Feb. 22, 3:30-5 pm

Games Day

Meeting Room

Film Nights at the Library

Christmas/Holidays, Dec. 12

Some Wednesdays

Dec. 12 – Feb. 6

New Years, Jan. 9

Valentine's Day, Feb. 6

Students

Ages 12 – 18, Grades 6 – 12

Wednesdays

6-7:30 pm

Teen Homework Help

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St. George's Anglican Church

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Community Coffee House

8 a.m. - 12 noon, Tuesdays
and Thursdays, Coffee and Muffins

Sunday Men's Breakfast

9 a.m. – 10 a.m., One Sunday Each Month
Free Hot Breakfast for Everyone

SERVICE TIMES:

10:30 a.m. - Morning Prayer, 1st and 3rd Sundays of the Month

- Eucharist 2nd and 4th Sundays of the Month

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Saskatoon Zoo Society Programs Saskatoon Forestry Farm Park and Zoo

Winter Break Zoo Camp 2013

February 20th-22nd, 2013

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

This exciting three-day camp is all about having fun in the winter. Help feed our socialized animals, participate in winter activities and make some cool crafts. Bring a bag lunch and snacks. **We provide lunch and snacks on Friday.**

Cost: \$120 for members and \$135 for non-members. **Register**

by calling the Saskatoon Zoo Society at 975-3395. Check out our website for updates on all our great programs and events! King George Community Association members: tell us you saw our ad in the KG Newsletter and receive the member price when you register your child in this winter camp!

For more information on our programs and events, check our website at
www.saskatoonzoosociety.ca or at www.facebook.com/saskatoonzoosocietyinc